1 2 3 4 5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 6 EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 7 BATES DRUG STORES, INC., NO. CV-11-0167-EFS 8 Plaintiff, 9 ORDER DISMISSING LAWSUIT v. AND CLOSING FILE 10 ERIC H. HOLDER, JR., Attorney General of the United States, 11 United States Department of Justice; MICHELLE M. LEONHART, 12 Administrator Drug Enforcement Administration, United States 13 Department of Justice; and DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION, United 14 States Department of Justice, 15 Defendants. 16 On November 28, 2011, Plaintiff Bates Drug Stores, Inc. filed a 17 Plaintiff's Notice of Dismissal Without Prejudice Pursuant to LR 41.1. 18 ECF No. 43. Plaintiffs state that Defendants have not served an answer, 19 counterclaim, or motion for summary judgment, and notifies the Court that 20 it is voluntarily dismissing this lawsuit pursuant to Local Rule 41.1(a). 21 Based on Plaintiff's notice, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED: 22 1. This lawsuit is DISMISSED without prejudice. 23 2. All deadlines and hearings are hereby STRICKEN. 24 // 25 26 ORDER ~ 1

3. This file shall be CLOSED. IT IS SO ORDERED. The District Court Executive is directed to enter this Order and to provide copies to all counsel. **DATED** this <u>30th</u> day of November 2011. s/Edward F. Shea EDWARD F. SHEA United States District Judge Q:\Civil\2011\167.vol.dismiss.lc2.wpd

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